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AMENDMENT A

Dear Sir:

In response to the Official Action of March 26, 2003, please amend the above-identified application follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.

Fee Transmittal sheet (PTO/SB/17) is also enclosed, authorizing the payment of extra claim fees of \$84, resulting from an increase in the number of independent claims from 3 to 4. The Director is authorized to charge fees which are due to Deposit Account No. 21-0400 in the name of U.S. Borax Inc.